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Design Patent



Plant Patent

APPLICATION ELEMENTS (37 CFR 1.173)

1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (PTO/SB/56)
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2. ☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
3. ☒ Specification and Claims in double column copy of patent format (amended, if appropriate)
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(37 C.F.R. § 1.175) (PTO/SB/51 or 52)
6. Original U.S. Patent currently assigned?
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☒ 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) Statement ☒ Power of Attorney (PTO/SB/96)

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

7. ☒ Statement of status/support for all changes to the claims. See 37 CFR 1.173 (c).
8. ☐ Original U.S. Patent for surrender
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9. ☐ Foreign Priority Claim (35 U.S.C. 119) (if applicable)
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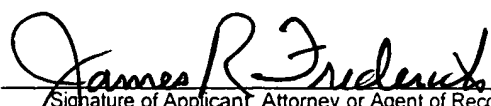
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Status of claims & Statement of Support for Claim Changes

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STATUS OF CLAIMS AND STATEMENT OF SUPPORT FOR CLAIM CHANGES

Pursuant to Rule 1.173(b), Applicant states the status of the claims in this reissue application as follows:

- A) Claims 1-8 are unchanged from the original patent; and
- B) Claims 9-16 are newly presented in this reissue application.

Support for the newly added claims is as follows:

Claim 9. "base portion:" reference #10
specification at col. 2, line 5, et al.

"two spaced-apart,
generally parallel
walls:" reference #'s 12 and/or 11, 110
specification at col. 2, lines 11, 12
and col. 2, lines 22, 23, et al.

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"at least two receiving
members:" reference #'s 15, 15'
specification at col. 2, line 6,
col. 2, line 27, et al.

"respective pivot
points:" reference #'s 151, 13
specification at col. 2, lines 29-32,
et al.

"at least one
sliding plate:" reference #17
specification at col. 2, lines 17-19,
et al.

Claim 10. See claim 9 and drawing.

Claim 11. See claim 9, drawings and specification at col. 2,
lines 22-28, et al.

Claim 12. Claim 9, drawings, and specification at col. 2, lines
35-37, et al.

Claim 13. Claim 9, drawing reference #153, and specification
col. 2, line 52.

Claim 14. Claim 9, drawing reference #11, and specification
col. 2, lines 11-13, et al.

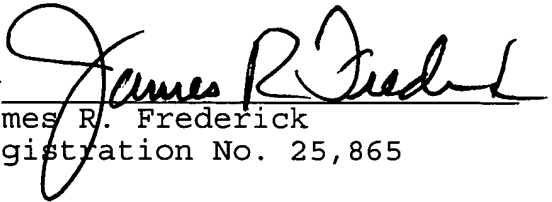
Claim 15. Claim 9, drawing reference #'s 17, and specification
at col. 2, line 17, et al.

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Claim 16. Claim 9, drawing reference #153 and specification
col. 2, line 53.

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